

QCD sum rules for D and B mesons in a strongly interacting medium

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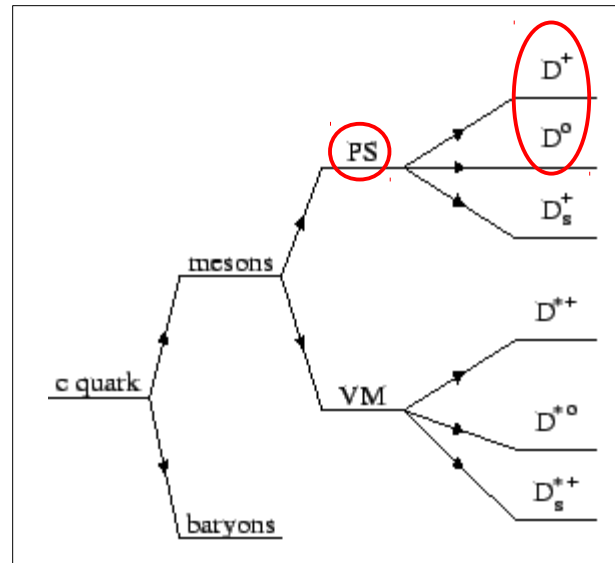
D and B Mesons

quark contents:

$$D^+ (c\bar{d}), \quad B^+ (b\bar{d})$$

$$D^0 (c\bar{u}), \quad B^0 (b\bar{u})$$

$$D_s^+ (c\bar{s}), \quad B_s^+ (b\bar{s})$$



[modified figure from desy.de/~ameyer/hq/node38.html]

$$m_{D^+} = 1870 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{D^0} = 1865 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{D_s^+} = 1968 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{D^{*+}} = 2010 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{D^{*0}} = 2007 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{D_s^{*+}} = 2112 \text{ MeV}$$

Why D and B mesons ?

- input parameters for investigations of exotic charmed mesons (X , $Y_{(b)}$, $Z_{(b)}$, etc.)
- probes of hot and dense nuclear matter via medium modifications
 - good reconstruction at LHC, FAIR
 - recent interest [Blaschke et al., PRD 85 (2012)], [He et al., PRL 110 (2013)], [Tolos et al., PRD 88 (2013)], [Yasui et al., PRC 87 (2013)]

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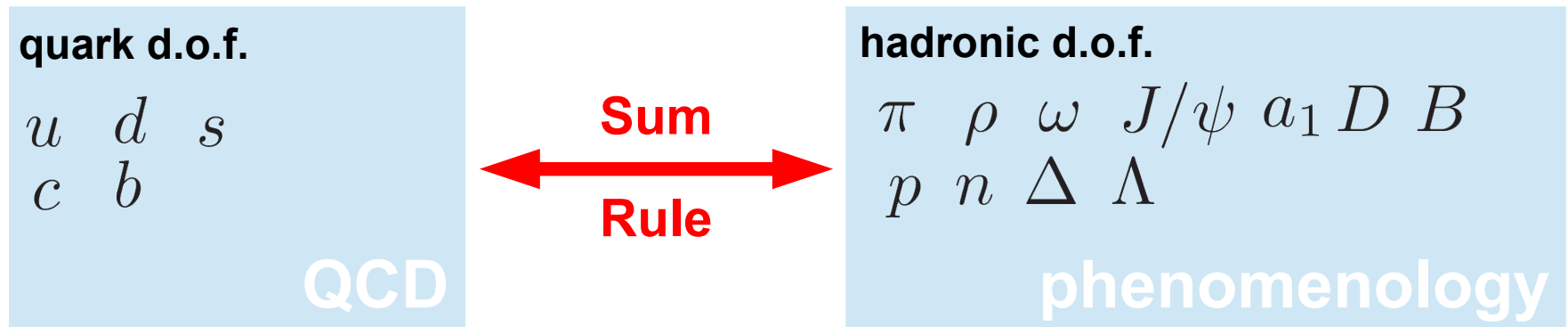
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dispersion relation (from analyticity)

$$\Pi(q_0, \vec{q}) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega \frac{\text{Im}\Pi(\omega, \vec{q})}{\omega - q_0}$$

$\Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q_0)$	=	$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega \frac{\text{discontinuity}(\omega)}{\omega - q_0}$
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Wick rotation of OPE side ensures $q^2 < 0$

In-Medium OPE

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q) &= \sum_n C_n(q) \langle O_n \rangle \\
 &= C_0(q) \mathbb{1} + C_3(q) \langle \bar{q}q \rangle + C_4(q) \langle G^2 \rangle + C_5(q) \langle \bar{q}Gq \rangle \\
 &\quad + C_{6,q}(q) \langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle + C_{6,G}(q) \langle G^3 \rangle + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

determined [Hilger et al., PRC 97 (2009)]

determined for light mesons [Thomas et al., PRL 95 (2005)]

determined for vacuum situations [Nikolaev, Radyushkin, NPB 213 (1983)]

heavy-light mesons (qQ) [Hilger+Buchheim]

$m_Q \langle \bar{q}q \rangle_{T,n} \rightarrow$ sizable impact on medium modification of D and B mesons

light mesons (qq) [recollection]

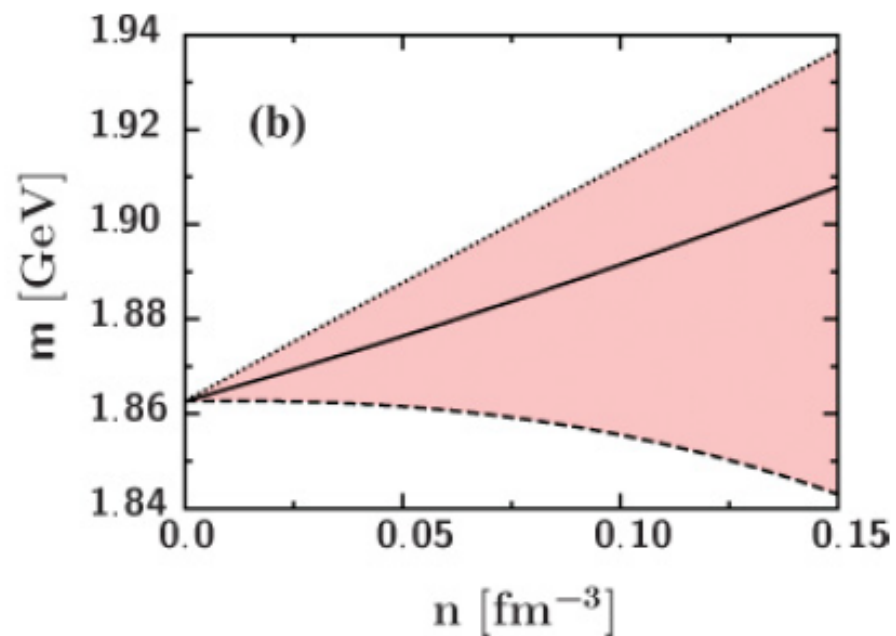
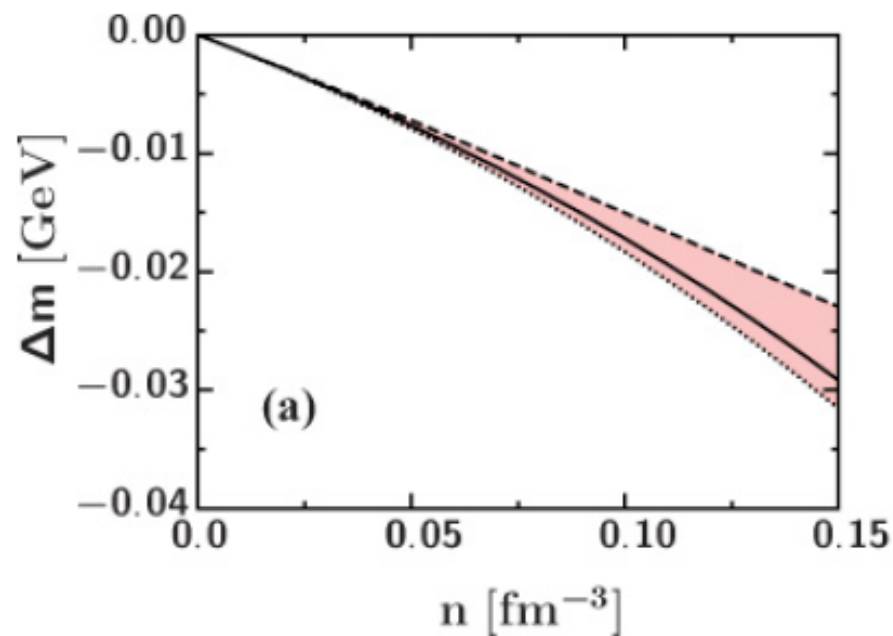
$m_q \langle \bar{q}q \rangle_{T,n} \rightarrow$ suppressed, four-quark condensates are important instead

$\langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{odd}}$ identified in ρ OPE [Hilger et al., PLB 709 (2012)]

Numerical Evaluation: pseudo-scalar D meson

utilizing in-medium OPE up to mass dimension 5

[Hilger et al., PRC 79 (2009)]

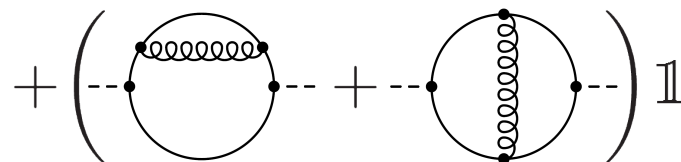
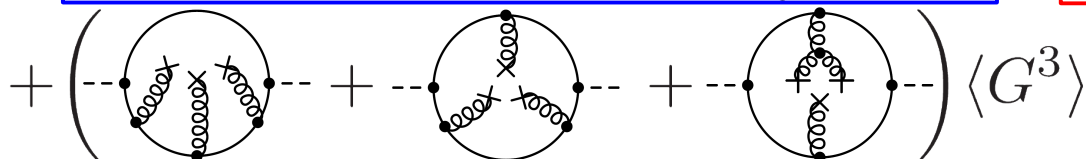
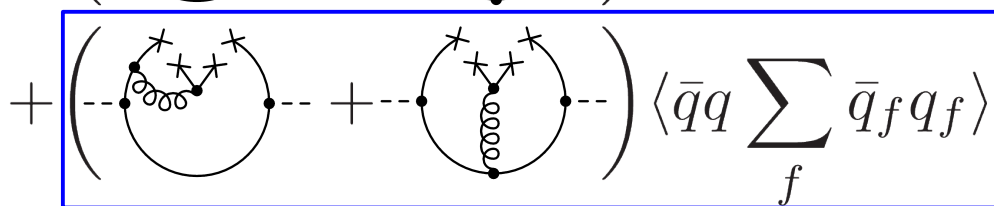
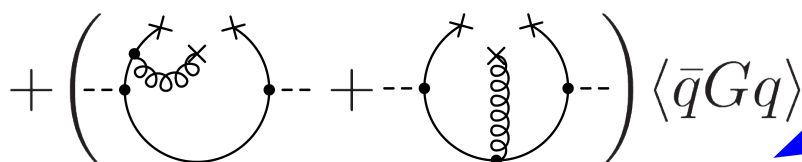
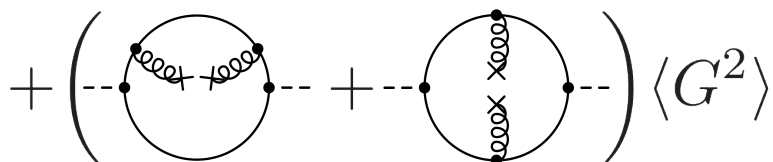
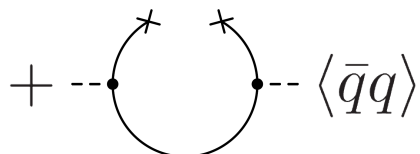
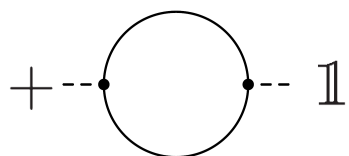


issue: associate production of $c\bar{c}$
vs. in-medium masses

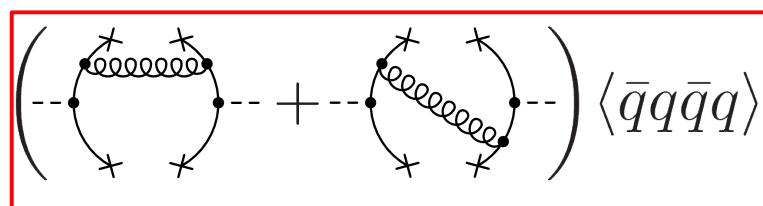
OPE

 α_s^0
 α_s^1

$$\Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q) =$$



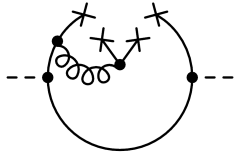
diagrams with
soft (s) and hard (h)
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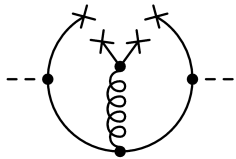
Wilson Coefficients

$$\Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q) = \sum_k C_k(q) \langle \mathcal{O}_k \rangle$$

$$C_k(q) = \sum_l C_{kl} L_{kl}$$



k	C_{kl}^s			L_{kl}^s		
	$l=1$	$l=2$	$l=3$	$l=1$	$l=2$	$l=3$
1	$-\frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{(q^2 - m_Q^2)^2} \left(1 - \frac{q^2}{q^2 - m_Q^2}\right)^2$	$\frac{2}{9} \frac{1}{(q^2 - m_Q^2)^3}$	$-\frac{8}{3} \frac{1}{(q^2 - m_Q^2)^4}$	1	$q^2 - 4 \frac{(vq)^2}{v^2}$	$\frac{3}{8} q^4 - 2 \frac{q^2 (vq)^2}{v^2} + \frac{(vq)^4}{v^4}$
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Four-Quark Condensates



- no numerical values – factorization ansatz ? :
 - justified by large- N_c arguments for vacuum and finite densities only [Leupold, PLB 616 (2005)]
 - spoils behaviour under chiral transformations

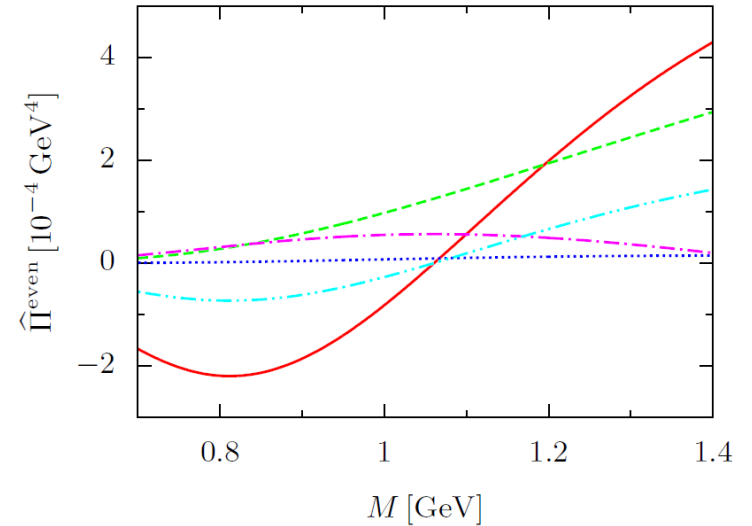
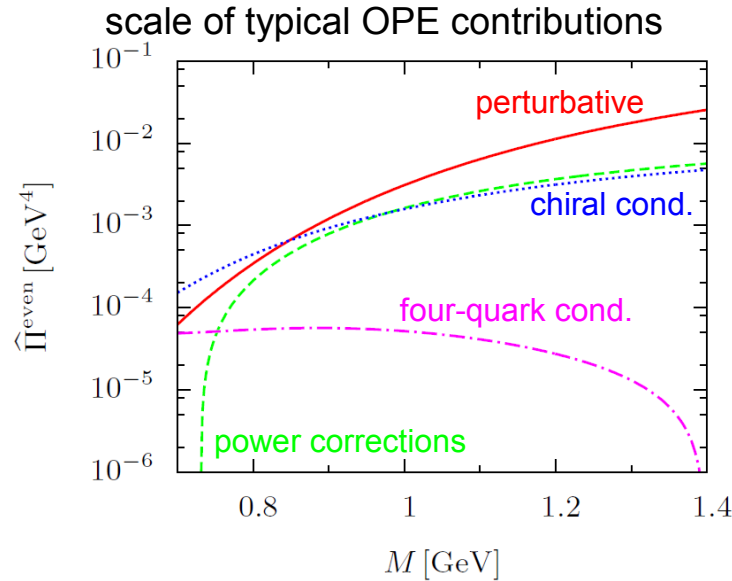
- in qQ sector, e.g. D and B mesons:
 - 27 condensates in medium
 - heavy-light condensates
 - use and extend heavy-quark expansion method (HQE)

- medium behaviour ?

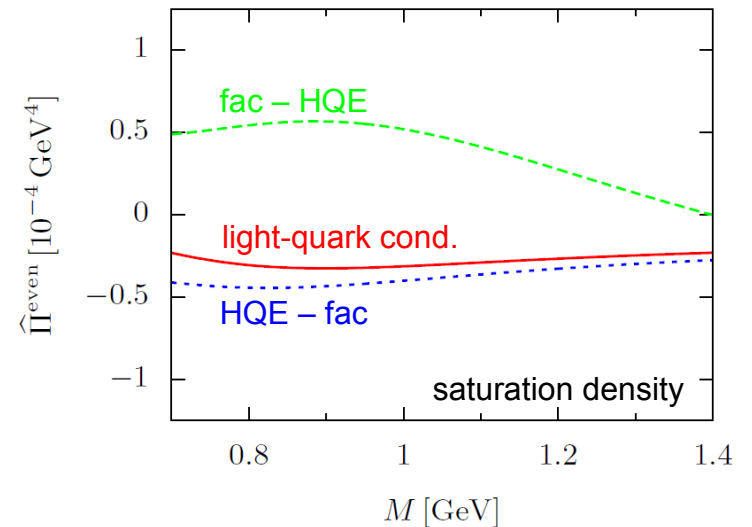
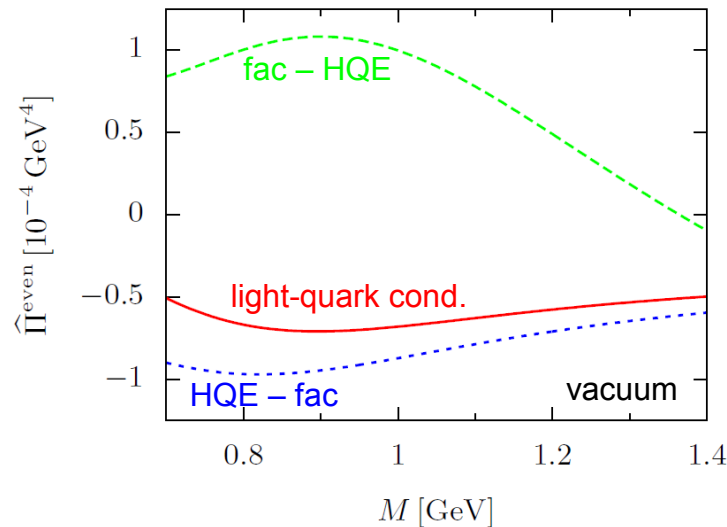
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Numerical Evaluation: pseudo-scalar D meson

OPE contributions of mass dimension 4 and 5 condensates



OPE contributions of four-quark condensates in three different approaches



Summary

- medium modifications of D and B mesons can be traced back to changing condensates within the QCD sum rule approach
 - chiral condensate dominates D meson sum rules
 - four-quark condensates contributions are important for ρ and ω , but subleading for D mesons
- ➔ spectral properties obtained in [Hilger et al., PRC 79 (2009)] hold

Outlook

Chirally Odd Condensates in Weinberg Sum Rules

Example: ρ meson

$$\varphi = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

chiral transformations

$$\varphi_{L,R} \longrightarrow e^{-i\Theta_{L,R}^a \tau_a} \varphi_{L,R},$$

$$\tau_a = \sigma_a / 2$$

Pauli metrics

$$\langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{odd}} \equiv \langle (\bar{\varphi}_R \gamma_\mu \lambda^A \tau_3 \varphi_R) (\bar{\varphi}_L \gamma^\mu \lambda^A \tau_3 \varphi_L) \rangle$$

[Hilger et al., PLB 709 (2012)]

Gell-Mann metrics

Weinberg Sum Rules (WSR) of ρ and a_1 mesons – degeneracy of spectral functions

$$\int ds \frac{1}{s} \Delta\rho(s) = f_\pi^2$$

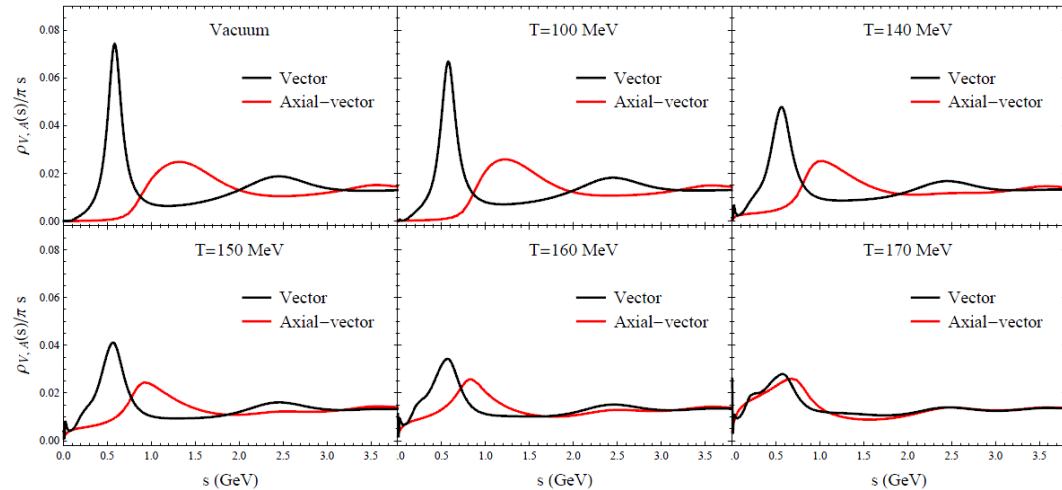
$$\int ds \Delta\rho(s) = -2m_q \langle \bar{q}q \rangle$$

$$\int ds s \Delta\rho(s) = -2\pi\alpha_s \langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{odd}}$$

with $\Delta\rho = \rho_V - \rho_A$

fixed by microscopic calculation in had. eff. field theory

ansatz with parameters selected by minimization of inequalities in the WSR

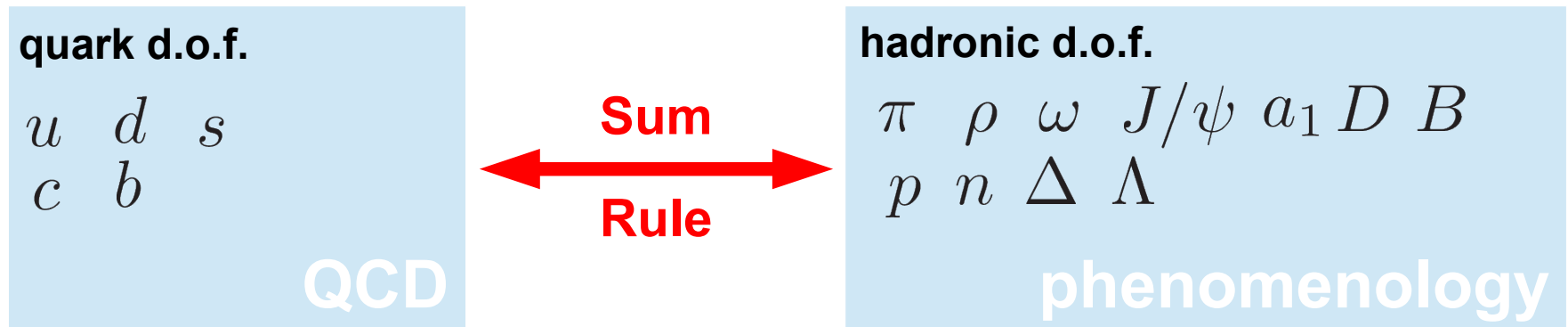


[Hohler, Rapp, PLB 731 (2014)]

Back up

QCD Sum Rules in Vacuum

causal current-current correlator $\Pi(q) = \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle T [j(x)j^\dagger(0)] \rangle$



dispersion relation (from analyticity of $\Pi(q)$) $\Pi(q^2) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty ds \frac{\text{Im}\Pi(s)}{s - q^2}$

$\Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q^2)$	$=$	$\int_0^\infty ds \frac{\text{spectral density}(s)}{s - q^2}$
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OPE: loop expansion

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q) &= \int d^4x e^{ipx} \langle \text{T} \left[j(x) j^\dagger(0) \left(\mathbb{1} + \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \frac{(i)^2}{2!} \int d^4y_1 d^4y_2 \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}(y_1) \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}(y_2) + \dots \right) \right] \rangle \\ &= \Pi_{\alpha_s^0}(q) + \Pi_{\alpha_s^1} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

with reduced interaction Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}(y) = g \bar{q}(y) \gamma^\mu t^A q(y) G_\mu^A(y) + (q \longrightarrow Q)$$

$$\Pi_{\text{OPE}}(q) = \underbrace{\text{---} \text{---} \text{---}}_{\alpha_s^0} + \underbrace{\text{---} \text{---} \text{---}}_{\alpha_s^1} + \dots$$

OPE: QCD quark propagator

background field method in Fock-Schwinger gauge

$$S(p) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} S^{(i)}(p) \quad S^{(i)}(p) = -S^{(i-1)}(p) \gamma^\mu \tilde{A}_\mu S^{(0)}(p), \quad i \geq 1$$

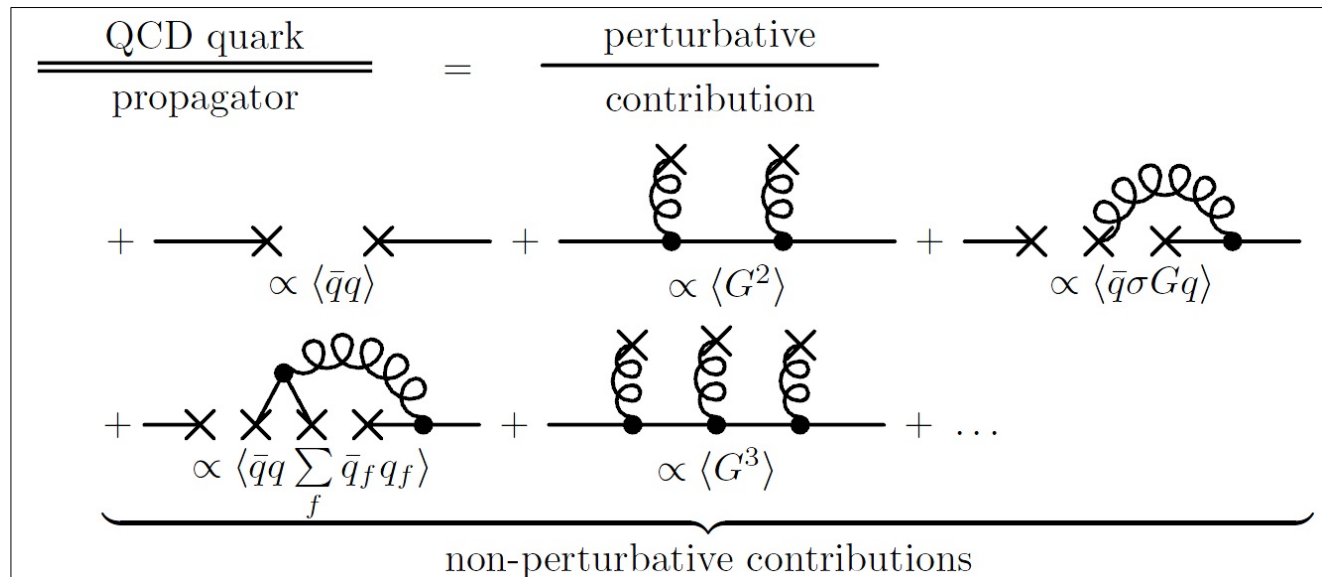
with derivative operator

$$\tilde{A}_\mu = - \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} g \frac{(-i)^j}{j!(j+2)} D_{\tilde{\alpha}_j} G_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu \partial^{\tilde{\alpha}_j}$$

and 2 Wick uncontracted non-local quark operators

free quark propagator

construction of condensates



OPE

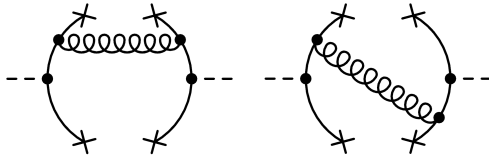
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QCD quark propagator	=	perturbative contribution
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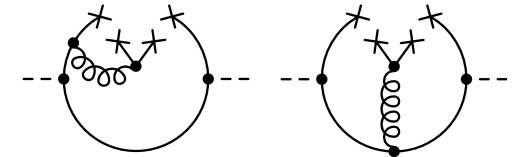
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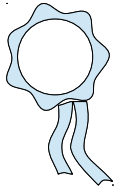
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How to handle heavy quarks in four-quark condensates?

4 Approaches:



quality of the sum rule

- neglecting condensates containing heavy quarks, factorization
- factorization and subsequent heavy-quark expansion
- heavy-quark expansion and subsequent factorization
- lattice calculations 

Factorization of Four-Quark Condensates

vacuum

colorless hadronic states
and the QCD vacuum

$$\langle \bar{q}\Gamma_1 t^A q \bar{q}\Gamma_2 t^A q \rangle = \sum_n c_n(\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2, t^A) \langle \bar{q}q | n \rangle \langle n | \bar{q}q \rangle$$
$$\approx c_0(\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2, t^A) \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2$$

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reduction of light four-quark condensates:

$$\langle \bar{q}\Gamma_1 t^A q \bar{q}\Gamma_2 t^A q \rangle = a \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2 + b \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \langle \bar{q}\psi q \rangle + c \langle \bar{q}\psi q \rangle^2$$

reduction of heavy-light four-quark condensates:

$$\langle \bar{q}\Gamma_1 t^A q \bar{Q}\Gamma_2 t^A Q \rangle = A \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \langle \bar{Q}Q \rangle + B \langle \bar{q}\psi q \rangle \langle \bar{Q}Q \rangle$$
$$+ C \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \langle \bar{Q}\psi Q \rangle + D \langle \bar{q}\psi q \rangle \langle \bar{Q}\psi Q \rangle$$

Heavy-Quark Expansion (HQE)

heavy two-quark condensate:

[Generalis, Broadhurst, PLB139 (1984)]

$$\langle \bar{Q}Q \rangle = \text{[diagram 1]} \langle G^2 \rangle + \text{[diagram 2]} \langle G^3 \rangle + \text{[diagram 3]} \left\langle \sum_f \bar{q}_f q_f \sum_{f'} \bar{q}_{f'} q_{f'} \right\rangle + \dots$$

leading order:
$$\langle \bar{Q}Q \rangle = -\frac{g^2}{48\pi^2 m_Q} \langle G^2 \rangle + \mathcal{O}(1/m_Q^3)$$

heavy-light four-quark condensate:

$$\langle \bar{q} A q \bar{Q} B Q \rangle = \text{[diagram 1]} \langle \bar{q} q \sum_f \bar{q}_f q_f \rangle + \text{[diagram 2]} \langle \bar{q} q G^2 \rangle + \dots$$

leading order:

$$\langle \bar{q} \gamma_\nu t^A q \sum_f \bar{q}_f \gamma^\nu t^A q_f \rangle, \langle \bar{q} \psi t^A q \sum_f \bar{q}_f \psi t^A q_f \rangle / v^2, \langle \bar{q} t^A q \sum_f \bar{q}_f \psi t^A q_f \rangle$$

with HQE coefficients of order $1/m_Q^0$

Chirally Odd Condensates

besides $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle$ further candidates for order parameters

- ➔ condensates not invariant under chiral transformations
- chirally odd condensates, e.g. chiral condensate

$\varphi \dots N_f$ vector

$$\varphi = \varphi_L + \varphi_R, \quad \varphi_{L,R} = P_{L,R}\varphi = \frac{1}{2}(1 \mp \gamma_5)\varphi$$

chiral transformations

$$\varphi_{L,R} \longrightarrow e^{-i\Theta_{L,R}^a \tau_a} \varphi_{L,R}, \quad \tau_a \text{ generators of } \text{SU}(N_f)$$

recover vector (V) and axial-vector (A) transformations for $\Theta_L^a = -\Theta_R^a = \Theta^a$

$$\text{V: } \varphi \longrightarrow e^{-i\Theta^a \tau_a} \varphi \quad \text{A: } \varphi \longrightarrow e^{-i\Theta^a \tau_a \gamma_5} \varphi$$

test chiral condensate

$$\langle \bar{\varphi}\varphi \rangle = \langle \bar{\varphi}_L\varphi_R \rangle + \langle \bar{\varphi}_R\varphi_L \rangle \longrightarrow \langle \bar{\varphi}_L e^{-i(\Theta_R^a - \Theta_L^a)\tau_a} \varphi_R \rangle + (\text{L} \longleftrightarrow \text{R})$$

Translation to D and B Mesons

[Hilger et al., PRC 84 (2011)]

$$\varphi = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \\ c, b \end{pmatrix}$$

chiral transformations restricted to light part

$$\varphi_{L,R} \longrightarrow e^{-i\Theta_{L,R}^a \tau_a} \varphi_{L,R}, \quad \tau_a = \lambda_a/2$$

Gell-Mann matrices

with special choice $\Theta_{L,R} = (\Theta_{L,R}^1, \Theta_{L,R}^2, \Theta_{L,R}^3, 0, \dots, 0)$

➔ leaves Lagrangian $\bar{\varphi} M \varphi$, $M = \text{diag}(0, 0, m_{c,b})$ invariant

mixing of chiral partner meson currents under corresponding axial transformations



observed splitting of chiral partner spectra

$$\frac{m_P}{m_S} \sim \frac{1800}{2300} \quad \frac{m_V}{m_A} \sim \frac{2000}{2400}$$

➔ spontaneous symmetry breaking, driven by order parameters,

e.g. $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle$, $\langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{odd}}$

Extension of Weinberg Sum Rules for D and B mesons

Weinberg-Type Sum Rules for qQ Mesons:

- set up to condensates of mass dimension 5 for P/S and V/A

[Hilger et al., PRC 84 (2011)]

- our **goal**: extension to mass dimension 6

➔ identified for P/S by its transformation properties

$$\langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{odd}} = \langle (\bar{\varphi}_R \lambda^A \varphi_L)(\bar{\varphi}_L \psi \lambda^A \varphi_L) \rangle + \langle (\bar{\varphi}_L \lambda^A \varphi_R)(\bar{\varphi}_L \psi \lambda^A \varphi_L) \rangle \\ + (\text{L} \longleftrightarrow \text{R})$$

➔ quantifies difference of chiral partner spectra

- chiral restoration scenario in a strongly interacting medium

$$\langle \bar{q}q \rangle \longrightarrow 0, \quad \langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{odd}} \longrightarrow 0, \quad \text{etc.}$$

➔ drive degeneracy of chiral partner spectra, cf. [Hohler, Rapp, PLB 731 (2014)]